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INTERNATI PC	ONAL APPLICATION NO. F/DE2004/002083	international filing date 17 Sept, 2004 (17.09.04)	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 23 Sept, 2003 (23.09.03)			
TITLE OF INVENTION BALL BEARING						
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US BAYER, Oswald et al.						
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:						
1. This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.						
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This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.						
4. 🔽 T	4. The US has been elected (Article 31).					
5.	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))					
	a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).					
	b. An been communicated by the International Bureau.					
	c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).					
6.	An English language translation of the	e International Application as filed (35 U.S.C	C. 371(c)(2)).			
	a. is attached hereto.					
_	b. has been previously submi	tted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).				
7.	Amendments to the claims of the Inte	ernational Application under PCT Article 19	(35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))			
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	c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.					
	d. have not been made and will not be made.					
8. 🔲	An English language translation of the	ne amendments to the claims under PCT A	rticle 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).			
9. 🔽	An oath or declaration of the inventor	r(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).				
10.	An English language translation of th Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).	e annexes of the International Preliminary I	Examination Report under PCT			
Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:						
11. 🔽	An Information Disclosure Statement	under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.				
12. 🗌	An assignment document for recording	ng. A separate cover sheet in compliance w	vith 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.			
13.	A preliminary amendment.					
14.	An Application Data Sheet under 37	CFR 1.76.				
15.	A substitute specification.					
16. 🗹	A power of attorney and/or change of	f address letter.				
17. 🔲	A computer-readable form of the sec	uence listing in accordance with PCT Rule	13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825.			
18. 🗆	A second copy of the published Inter	national Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).			
19.	A second copy of the English langua	ge translation of the international applicatio	n under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).			

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U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5) INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER PCT/DE2004/002083 **INA-29** to be assigned 20. Other items or information: PTO 2038 The following fees have been submitted CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY 21. Basic national fee (37 CFR 1.492(a))......\$300 300.00 Examination fee (37 CFR 1.492(c)) 200.00 If the written opinion prepared by ISA/US or the international preliminary examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)......\$0 All other situations.....\$200 Search fee (37 CFR 1.492(b)) If the written opinion of the ISA/US or the International preliminary examination report prepared by \$ 400.00 Search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) has been paid on the international application to the USPTO as an International Searching Authority.....\$100 International Search Report prepared by an ISA other than the US and provided to the Office or previously communicated to the US by the IB......\$400 All other situations......\$500 900.00 TOTAL OF 21, 22 and 23 = Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing in compliance with 37 CFR 1.821(c) or (e) or computer program listing in an electronic medium) (37 CFR 1.492(j)). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof. **Total Sheets** Extra Sheets Number of each additional 50 or fraction RATE thereof (round up to a whole number) 0.00 - 100 = /50 = x \$250 Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing any of the search fee, examination fee, or the oath or declaration \$ after the date of commencement of the national stage (37 CFR 1.492(h)). CLAIMS NUMBER FILED NUMBER EXTRA RATE \$ \$ Total claims 23 - 20 = 3 x \$50 150.00 2 0 0.00 Independent claims - 3 = \$200 MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable) 0.00 \$360 \$ TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS = 1050.00 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Fees above are reduced by 1/2. 1050.00 SUBTOTAL = \$ Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months from the earliest 0.00 claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(i)). **TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =** \$ 1050.00 Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied \$ by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED = 1050.00 Amount to be \$ refunded: Amount to be \$ charged

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